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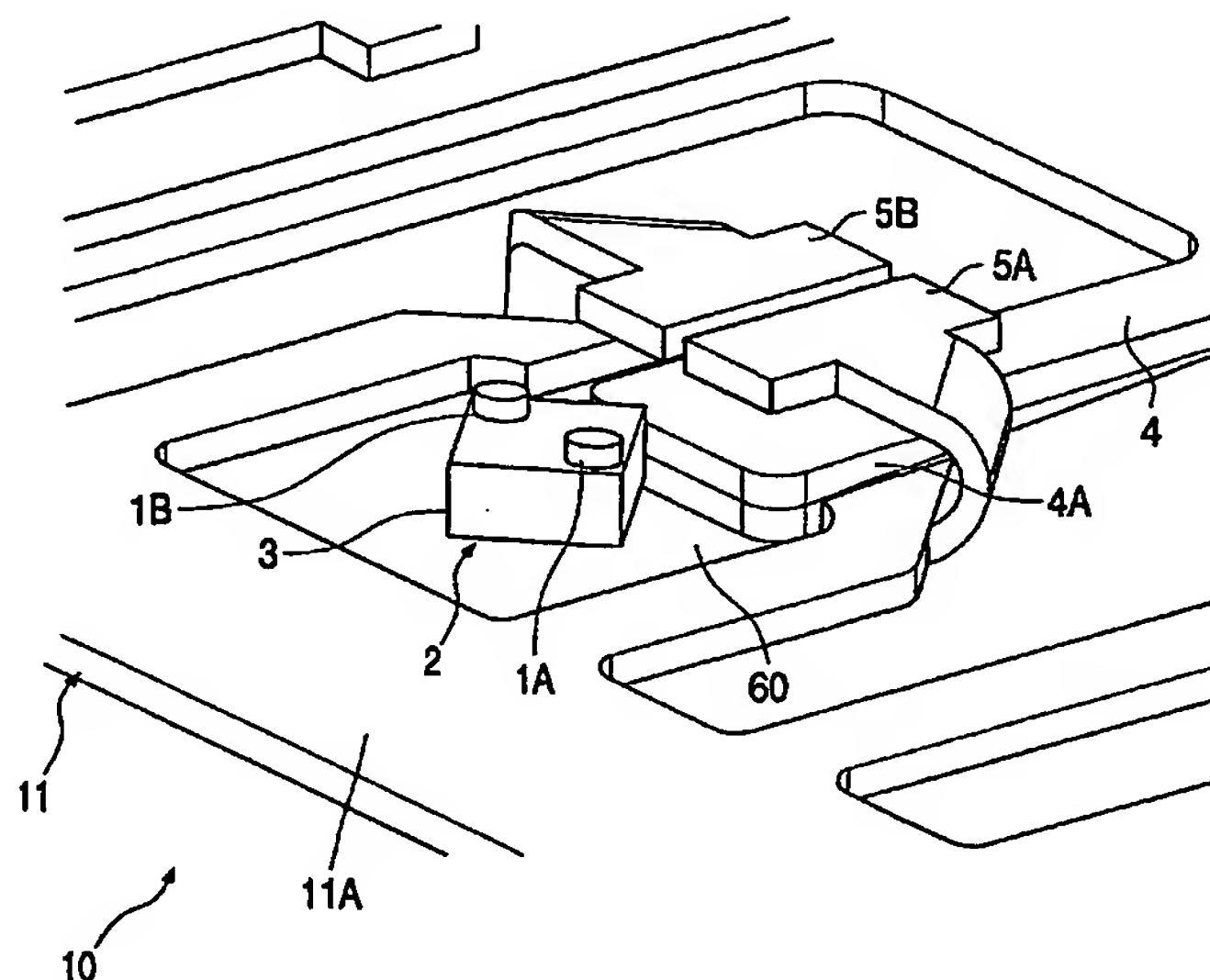
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(57) Abstract: A semiconductor element (3) is mounted on a flat lead frame (11, 11 A) which is provided with two connection conductors (4, 5) in between which the element (3) is attached, and the element (3) is positioned on the first conductor (4) and the second conductor is brought to a position above that of the element (3) by a movement outside the plane of the lead frame (11, 11 A). The end part of the second conductor (5) is positioned within the frame (11 A) outside the longitudinal position of the first conductor (4) and is brought to a position above the position of the element (3) by means of bending along a bending axis. The bending axis makes an oblique angle with the longitudinal axis of the end part. In this manner, a semiconductor device is obtained comprising as a semiconductor element at least one diode or transistor.

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